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Please replace the Abstract as follows:

Abstract of the Disclosure

A rethermalization system for use with food trays having a hot food side and a cold food side, the system being operable to maintain both the hot side and the cold side of each tray at a cold temperature and of heating the hot side from the cold temperature to a hot temperature while simultaneously maintaining the cold side at the cold temperature includes a first thermal system having a heating source, a refrigeration coil and a blower; a second thermal system having first and second refrigeration coils and a blower; and a control system operable in one mode to activate the refrigeration coil of the first thermal system and the first refrigeration coil of the second thermal system, and operable in a second mode to activate the heating source of the first thermal system and the first and second refrigeration coils of the second thermal system.

